

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
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**RESPONSE TO JUNE 12, 2008 FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, this Amendment is submitted in response to the Final Office Action mailed June 12, 2008. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the application in view of this amendment and remarks herein.

**The pending claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** addressing the rejections cited in the Office Action begin on page 15 of this paper.